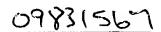


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THE F	OLLOW	ING CHECKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT:			
		1. Amendments to the specification:			
		A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings.			
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		A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72.			
		B. Other			
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